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METHOD OF USING CYCLOOXYGENASE-2

INHIBITORS IN THE PREVENTION OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISORDERS

Attorney Docket No. 51765.00002

AMENDMENT A RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2001, please enter the following amendments and reconsider this application in view of the following remarks. This amendment is accompanied by a STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)-ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION, by a REVOCATION; NEW APPOINTMENT AND NEW MAILING ADDRESS and by an INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT.

The Office Action sets a one-month shortened statutory period for response. Applicants petition for a two (2) month extension of the term. Applicants' undersigned representative also authorizes the charging of Deposit Account No. 19-0733 for the extension fee, any additional claim fee, the fee required for consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement and any other fee that might be due upon entry and full consideration of this amendment.

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